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## NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494):

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 08/25/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 08/25/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 08/25/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 08/25/2006
- Biochemical Sequence Diskette filed on 08/25/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 08/25/2006
- Biochemical Sequence Listing filed on 08/25/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 08/25/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 08/25/2006
- Specification filed on 08/25/2006
- Claims filed on 08/25/2006
- Abstracts filed on 08/25/2006

Applicant's response filed 08/25/2006 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 04/02/2007 have not been completed.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

 Processing fee of \$130 for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)).

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$1380 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 for English translation surcharge required.
- · A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has been submitted. However, the content of the computer readable form does not comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.822 and/or 1.823, as indicated on the attached copy of the marked -up "Raw Sequence Listing." Applicant must provide a substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" and a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). Refer to attachment or PAIR document dated .

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